BY: Commerce and Government Matters Committee

<u>AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 323</u>
(First Reading File Bill)

<u>AMENDMENT NO. 1</u>

On page 1, strike beginning with "District" in line 2 down through "Authority" in line 3 and substitute "<u>Districts - Review by Mayor and City Council</u>"; in line 4, after the first "of" insert "<u>altering certain provisions of law concerning the authority of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to establish certain community benefits district management authorities to include a certain community benefits district; repealing the authority of the General Assembly to review and determine the desirability of continuing certain community benefits districts under certain circumstances; authorizing the Mayor and City Council to review and determine the desirability of continuing certain community benefits districts under certain circumstances;</u>"; in line 5, after "authority" insert "<u>of the Mayor and City Council</u>"; strike beginning with "in" in line 5 down through "districts" in line 7; in line 12, after "(63)(a)(1)" insert "<u>and (h)</u>"; and strike in their entirety lines 16 through 22, inclusive.

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 27 on page 1 through line 6 on page 2, inclusive.

<u>AMENDMENT NO. 2</u>

On page 2, in line 19, after "AND" insert "<u>THE</u>"; in the same line, after "MIDTOWN" insert "<u>COMMUNITY</u>"; in lines 22 and 33, in each instance, strike the bracket; in line 22, strike "General Assembly" and substitute "<u>MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL</u>"; and strike beginning with "beginning" in line 24 down through "2000" in line 25 and substitute "<u>:</u>

(I)   <u>BEGINNING WITH THE FIRST MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL IN DECEMBER, 2002 FOR THE CHARLES VILLAGE COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT;</u>

(II)   <u>BEGINNING WITH THE FIRST MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND</u>

CITY COUNCIL IN DECEMBER, 2003 FOR THE MIDTOWN COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT; AND

(III) BEGINNING 4 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ANY OTHER COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT CREATED UNDER THIS SECTION".

On page 3, strike beginning with "AND" in line 3 down through "3." in line 6.